SPECIAL NOTICES.

COTTISH RITE CATHEDRAL — EVANGELIST Chapter of Rose Croix—A special meeting will be held on MONDAY, 30th March, 1896, at 4 p.m., to confer degrees. By order of GEO. H. WALKER, 32°, W.M. WM. OSCAR ROOME, 33°, Secretary. 1t SPECIAL NOTICE-THE BUSINESS OF J. C. ADdison, paper and stationery, 627 and 629 Louisi-ana ave. n.w., is being continued by the assig-nees. All orders will receive prompt attention. WM. H. SHOLES, | mh28-3t* J. GEO. SMITH, | Assignees.

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mh28-2t* JAMES BARRY, 637 L st. n.e. CRIPPLE CREEK WONDER GOLD MINING CO.

SPIRITUALISM.

MRS. EFFIE McNEIL, business and test medium, has resumed practice for the fall and winter, will be at home daily until further notice. Business examinations a specialty and satisfaction guaranteed. 1914 Pa. ave. mh7-24t* then guaranteed. 1914 Pa. ave. mh7-24t*

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE U. S. TREASury Department Beneficial Association for the
election of officers for the ensuing year, and for
such other business as may properly come before
ft, will be held at Grand Army Hall (No. 21, No.
1412 Penn. ave. n.w., on MONDAY EVENING,
the 30th instant, at 7:30 o'clock.

Dated Washington, March 27, 1896,
mh27-3t*

LEE W. FUNK, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDers of the Columbia Fire Insurance Company of the District of Columbia for the election of fifteen trustees to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the office of the company, 1413 G st. n.w., MONDAY, April 6, 1896. Polls open at 12 m.; close at 2 p.m.

Books for the transfer of stock will be closed from April 1 to April 6, both days inclusive. mh4-w&slot LEM. TOWERS, Jr., Secretary.

YOUNG WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN HOME, 311 C ST. p.w.—Sewing classes THURSDAYS, 3 to 5 p.m. Cooking classes, TUESDAYS, 3 to 5 p.m. mh7-sat4t* THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE STOCK-holders of the Cereoran Fire Insurance Company of the District of Columbia at their office, No. 604 11th st. n.w., on MONDAY, April 6, IS96, for the purpose of electing nine directors for the ersuing year.

Polls open at 12 m. and close at 1 p.m. mb6,14,21,28-44 LOUIS R. PEAK, Secretary.

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 17, 1895.

A meeting of the stockhelders of THE RIGGS
FREE INSURANCE COMPANY, for the election
of thirteen trustees, will be held at the office of
the company, 1331 F st. n.w., on WEDNENDAY,
April 15, 1896, Polis will be opened at 12 m.
aid closed at 2 o'clock p.m. Transfer books will
be closed on the day of election.

HARRY C. BIRGE, Secretary.
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of the West End National Bank the usual
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April 1, 1896. Transfer books close March 28,
1806. CHAS. P. WILLIAMS. mh25-6t DR. J. HALL LEWIS, DENTIST, HAS REMOVED his office from 1309 F st. n.w. to 1023 Vermont ave. n.w. mhl4-lm*

are. n.w.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All persons or firms having claims against the late firm of Craig & Harding are hereby notified to file the same with me on or before April 1, 1896, in order to participate in the distribution of funds.

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Easton & Rupp, 421 11th St. FRIENDS' MEETING (ORTHODOX) EVERY FIRST day at 11 a.m. in rooms of Y. M. C. A., 1425 WANTED (Ro.ms). Page 4

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Moody Cheir. Members will please watch Monday's EVENING STAR for notice of rehearsal. Place not yet settled for Tuesday's meeting. 1t PERCY S. FOSTER, Director.

SPECIAL NOTICE-COME AND BRING YOUR children to see incubators in operation, hatching ducks and chickens. SCHMID'S BIRD STORE, mh28-3t* SPIRITUALISM-METZEROTT'S, MIISIC HALL-Grand anniversary celebration TOMORROW at 11 a.m., 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Each lecture fol-lowed by spirit tests. See church advertisement. SPECIAL NOTICE-THE WOMAN'S HOME AND FORGIAL AUTREE-THE WALLS AND AUTREE TO THE MISSIONARY Societies' quarterly meeting at Foundry Church, 14th and G sts. n.w., TUES-DAY, March 31. Home, 10 a.m. Foreign, 1:15

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CHURCH NOTICES.

BAPTIST.

PASTOR E. HEZ SWEM TELLS ABOUT THE Recent Revival Services in Warrenton, Va., Sonday night, 7:30 o'clock, and baptizes at the close of the service. Preaching at 11 a.m. by the pastor. Free pews. All invited. Second Raptist Church auditorium, 4th st. and Va. ave. s.e.

ELDER J. N. BADGER, OLD SCHOOL BAPTIST, will preach at Jao. T. Campbell's, 111 11th st. s.c., on Monday evening, March 30, at 7:30. 1t* METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH, 6TH AND A n.e., Dr. G. S. Williams.—S. S., 9:30; sermons, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Large audiences. Extra chairs. Hearty welcome. 1t* E STREET BAPTIST CHURCH, J. J. MUIR, PAS-tor.—Preaching, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; baptism in evening; S. S., 9:30 a.m. Strangers wel-comed.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, 16TH ST. ABOVE Scott Circle, Dr. Charles A. Stakely, pastor.— Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; preaching by Dr. Stakely 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m.; Christian En-deavor, 6:45 p.m.; baptism in the close of the evening service. You are cordially welcome. It SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH, 3D ST. N.W., Bishop Johnson, D.D., postor.—11 a.m., "The Mira-les of Christ;" 3:30 p.m., lyceum; i.d. dress by Lawyer Peyton on "The Colored Lawyer;" 7:30, Rev. Dr. Edgerton of Georgia. 1t FIFTH BAPTIST CHURCH, VA. AVE. S.W. BET. 4½ and 6th sts. Frenching at 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. by the pastor, the key. C. C. Meador, D.D.; Sunday school at 9:30 a.m.

EPISCOPAL.

SAINT JOHN'S CHURCH, GEORGETOWN, O ST. bet. 32d and 33d, Rev. Chas. E. Buck, rector.— Services tomorrow: Holy communion, 7:30 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11. Evening prayer, 4:70. Vested choir. Strangers cordually in-

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, 23D ST. NEAR WASHINGton Circle, Rev. Alfred Harding, rector.—Services at 7:30 and 11 a.m. and 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. At the night service the bishop of the diocese will administer the rite of communition. All seats free at all services. The public cordially invited.

THE REV. HUTCHINS BROWN WILL PREACH Episcopal Church, on the Tennallytown road. It
EPIPHANY CHURCH, G ST., REV. R. H. McKim, D.D., rector.—Palm Sunday services: Holy
communion, S and 11 a.m.; confirmation by Bishop
Satterlee, 4 and 7:30 p.m. Special service preparatory to the "Mission" in Guild room, 4 p.m.
PASSION WEEK SERVICES: Daily at 8:30 and
10:30 a.m. and 4:15 p.m.; Good Friday, S:30 and
11 a.m. and 4:15 p.m., Also Wednesday at 8
p.m. and Thursday at 7:30 p.m. (celebration of
the Lord's supper). Meditations on the events of
the week will be given daily at 10:30 a.m. At
4:15 p.m. addresses will be given on the following snojects; Monday, "Christ in the Garden;"
Tuesday, "Christ Before the High Priest;" Wednesdiy, "Christ Before Plat;" Thursday, "Christ
Bearing His Cross;" Friday, 11 a.m. and 4:15
p.m., "The Seven Words on the Cross;" Saturday,
4:15, "The Sepulcher of Christ."

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GRACE CHURCH, 9TH AND D STS, S.W., NEAR

GRACE CHURCH, STH AND D STS. S.W., NEAR 7th st. cable cars.—Holy communion at 7:30 a.m. Service and sermon at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Baptism at 4 p.m. Rev. Thos. O. Tongue, rector. 1t* ST. MARGARET'S, HEAD OF CONNECTICIT ave., a short distance beyond R st. The Metropolitan street cars will bring you almost to the door. Services Sundays in Lent-Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; morning prayer, litany and sermon, 11 a.m.; evening prayer and sermon, 4:30 p.m.; holy communion, first and third Sundays in the month, 11 a.m.; other Sundays, 8 a.m. Holy week-Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, holy communion, 8 a.m. Good Friday, the three hours' devoticn, 12 m. to 3 p.m. Evening prayer, duily, except Good Friday, 4:30 p.m. Easter day—Holy communion, 7 a.m.; morning prayer, sermon and holy communion, 11 a.m.; evening prayer and sermon, 4:30 p.m. Subjects of lectures, every Thursday, 4:30 p.m. April 2. The Final Heaves." To any and to all of the above services you will be most gladly welcomed.

Rev. Richard Lewis Howell. ST. JAMES' CHORCH, STH ST. NEAR B N.E.—7:50, 10:30 and 11 a.m., 6:30 and 7:30 p.m. All seats free. Strangers confully iprited to the

THE REV. DR. JNO. H. ELLIOTT WILL DE-liver the sermon at Christ Church, O and 31st sis. D.W., tomorrow evening at 7:30. St. Thomas Church, Dupont Circle, 18TH and Madison sis., Rev. J. A. Aspinwall, rector; W. G. Ware, as-istant.—Holy communt.m, 8 a.m. Sunday snool, 9:30 a.m. Morning prayer and sermon, 11 o'cleck. Evening prayer and sermon, 8 o'clock. Strangers welcome at all services.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION, MASS. AVE. AND 12th st. n.w.—8 and 11 a.m., 7:39 p.m. Rev. Mr. Snyder will preach in the evening. SPIRITUALISM.

SPIRITUALISM.-METZEROTT HALL EVERY SUN-SPHRITUALISM.—METZEROTT HALL EVERY SUNday. Lyceum, 10 a.m. Lecture, 11 a.m., 2 and 7:30 p.m. Last Sunday this reason to hear the eloquent expounder of spiritualism, Mr. F. A. Wiggin of Salem, Mass. This being the forty-eighth anniversary of spiritualism, very interesting exercises may be expected. Good speaking, recitations and beautiful music by Profs. Maxham, Altemus and others. At the 2 occups meeting an address by Mr. Wiggin, appropriate for the occasion.

SPIRITUALISM.-WONN'S HALL, 721 6TH ST. n.w., Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The grand truth of spirit communication fully demonstrated at every meeting. Medium, Mrs. Effic McNeil.1*

LUTHERAN.

CHURCH OF THE REFORMATION, PA. AVE. and 2d st. s.e., Rev. W. E. Parson, D.B., pastor.—Palm Sunday services, with service each evening in holy week. All other services as usual. Seats free.

Scats free.

ST. PAUL'S ENGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH, cor. of 11th and H sts. n.w.—Rev. S. Domer. D.D., toncerrow morning and evening at 11 and 7:30. Pission week services every evening at 7:30, except Saturday evening. Also on Good Friday morning at 11. Preparatory services on Good Friday evening.

LUTHER PLACE MEMORIAL CHURCH.—PALM Sunday, Pastor J. G. Butler at 11 and 7:30.- Confirmation in evening. Passion week services Monday to Thursday at 7:45, and Good Friday at 11. KELLER MEMORIAL, C. H. Butler pastor.—Confirmation in morning. Services Thesday to Thursday at 7:30, and Good Friday at 11. 1t*

"FUTURE LIFE PROBLEMS," LECTURE VII:
"Hell and the Divine Mercy," by the pastor, Rev.
Frank Sewall, at 7 p.m. Morning, Palm Sunday
sermon at 11 o'clock, "Entering the City." Confirmation class in pastor's study Tuesday, 8 p.m.
Good Friday service and sermon, 11 a.m. Holy
Saturday litany service at 4:30. Seats free to all.
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Y. M. C. A. REV. GEO. O. LITTLE, D.D., PASTOR OF AS sembly Presbyterian Church, will address the men's Gospel meeting of the Y. M. C. A. at Foundry M. E. Church, 14th and G sts. n.w., Sunday, 4 p.m. Bible class at 3 p.m., taught b Col. Chas. Bird, U. S. A. All men most heartil

UNIVERSALIST.

CHURCH OF OUR FATHER, 13TH AND L STS.
n.w., Rev. A. G. Rogers, D.D., pastor.—A.M.,
the Lord's supper. What constitutes fitness to
partake of it? P.M., "THE POETS OF THE
LARGER HOPE—OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES,"
All cordially invited.

UNITARIAN. ALL SOULS' CHURCH, CORNER 14TH AND L. sts. n.w., Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham of New Bedford, Mrss., will preach morning at 11 o'clock. Subject: "Patience and Her Perfect Work," and evening at 7:30 o'clock. Subject: "The Naturainess of Religion." Palm service music, Prof. Thewald Jerichau, organist, Sunday school and Unity study class at 9:45 a.m. Yeung people's meeting at 6:30 pm. All are invited.

CHRISTIAN. VERMONT AVENUE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.-REV

F. D. Power, pastor, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p.m. Southwest mission school, 3:30 p.m. All welcome. Scats free.

LECTURES ON "EVOLUTION OF MAN" By George M. Coffin Sunday morning, 11 o'clock Metzerott's Banquet Hail. Sunday night, "Kar ma and Reincarmation" by Robert L. Lerch Free, Entrance F st. NON-SECTARIAN.

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH, 423 G 'ST. N.W.—REY Alex. Kent, pastor, will speak at 11:15 on "Wan As a Waning Factor of Civilization." Bible class at 10:15; subject, "Abraham," All welcome. 1 CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

THE NATIONAL CHRISTIAN SCIENCE INSTITUTE
will hold its Sunday class at Metzerott's (upper
hall) at 4 o'clock; entrance on F st. Monthly
class begins Monday at 2 o'clock at 2211 FRIENDS.

CHURCH NOTICES.

METHODIST. TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, REV. G. W. HOBBS, pastor.—11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., preaching by pastor. 6:30 p.m., Epworth League prayer meeting. Thursday, 7:30 p.m., church prayer meeting. Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., missionary concert by the Save All Band, the juvenile missionary society. Reception to pastor Friday evening, 7:30 o'cleck. RYLAND M. E. CHURCH.—9:15 A.M., 8. school. 11 a.m., by pastor, Rev. S. M. Hartsock, D.D. "Religious Instruction of the Young." 6:30 p.m., Y. P. S. C. E. 7:30 p.m., "The World a Bootless Cheat."

UNION M. E. CHURCH, 20TH ST. NEAR PA. ave. n.w., Rev. A Blelaski, pastor.—9:30, Sunday school. 11 and 7:30, preaching by pastor. 6:30, C. E. meeting. SAINT PAUL'S CHURCH (DUPONT CIRCLE).— Preaching by the new pastor, Rev. Stowell L. Bryant, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Epworth League, 6:45 p.m. 1t MT. VERNON PLACE M. E. CHURCH SOUTH, corner 9th and K sts. n.w., Isaac W. Canter, pastor.—Preaching Sunday, 11 a.m., by Rev. A. H. Ames, D.D. 7:30 p.m., by Rev. E. W. Sweet. S.S., 9:30 a.m. Prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. Seats free. It

GRACE M. E. CHURCH, COR. 9TH AND S STS.
Rev. George V. Leech, D.D., paster.—Preaching
at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Epworth League, 6:30,
Prayer meeting, Thursday evening. Good music
at all services.

ASBURY M.E. CHURCH, 11TH AND K STS. N.W. Rev. I. L. Thomus, pastor.—5 a.m., praise service. 9, S.S. Preaching, 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m., pastor.—4 p.m., Epworth League. 6:45 p.m., con secration service. All welcome. FOUNDRY M. E. CHURCH, 14TH AND G STS. Rev. Dr Oliver A. Brown, pastor. 9:30, Sunday sercol. 11. preaching by the pastor. 6:30 p.m., Epworth League. 7:30 p.m., preaching by Rev. L. B. Wilson. 1t*

HAMLINE M E. CHURCH, STH AND P STS. n.w.—Sunday school, 9:15 a.m. Preasbing, 11 a.m. and 7:39 p.m., by the pastor, Rev. W. R. Stricklen Epworth League, 3:15 p.m. Tuesday, consecration. Thursday, church prayer meeting, 7:30 p.m.
A lecture by Rev. Dr. Rogers on "Pen Hur." Wednesday evening, April 1. Admission, 25c. 1t McKENDREE M. E. CHURCH, MASS. AVE. BET.
9th and 10th sts., Rev. H. R. Naylor, L.D., pastor.—9:30 a.m., Sunday school. 11 a.m., preaching. 6:45 p.m., Epworth League. 7:30 p.m., preaching. Prayer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m., A cordial invitation to all. Seats free.

CENTRAL M. P. CHURCH, 12TH AND M STS. n.w., Rev. S. J. Smith, pastor.—11 a.m., "The God-given Place," 7:30, "Love Feast" S.S., 9:30. C. E., 6:30. Come. METROPOLITAN M.E. CHURCH, 44, AND C. REV. Hugh Johnston, D.D., pastor.—11 a.m. and 7:35 p.m., Rev. Redney Smith, gipsy evangelist. 3 p.m., Anti-Division Association meeting, 9:30 a.m., Sunday school. 6:30 p.m., Epworth League.

WESLEY CHAPEL M.E. CHURCH, COR. 5TH AND F sts., Rev. C. W. Baldwin, pastor.—Sunday school at 9:15. Preaching by pastor at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Enworth League at 6:30. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. DUMBARTON AVENUE M. F. CHURCH.—11 A.M.,
preaching by Rev. J. B. Slitt; subject, "HOME
SCENES;" 7:30 p.m., Union service at West
Street Presbyterian Church; 6:45, Epworth
League. FIFTEENTH STREET M. E. CHURCH, COR. R n.w.-Preaching 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by pastor, Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Epworth League, 6:30 p.m. Scats free. All welcome.

WAUGH M. E. CHURCH, 3D AND A STS. N.E., WAUGH M. E. CHURCH, 3D AND A STS, N.E., Rev. E. Olin Eldridge, pastor.—9:15 a.m., Sun-day school; 11 a.m., preaching by Rev. Joseph H. McCarty, D.D.; 6:15 p.m., Epwerth League; 7:30 p.m., services in charge of the Central Union Mission; special music, Thursday, 7:30 p.m., prayer meeting. Scats free and all cor-dially invited.

GORSUCH M. E. CHURCH, COR. 4½ AND I. STS. s.w.—Preaching by the new pastor, Rev. W. H. Richardson, at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Epworth League meeting at 7 p.m. Welcome to all. 11° MILES MEMORIAL CHURCH, 3D ST. BET. L and N. Y. ave. n.w. S. S. at 9:30 n.m.; preaching at 11 n.m. by the 12-year-old boy preacher; 7:30 p.m., preaching, J. C. Martin, pastor. 1t*

PRESBYTERIAN.

THE EASTERN PRESENTERIAN CHURCH,
Maryland ave. and 6th st. n.e.—Rev. Thomas
Chaimers Easton, D.D., pastor, will preach at 11
a.m. Reception of members and sacrament of
the Lord's supper, and at 7:30 p.m. Salbject:
"CHRIST'S REBUKE TO THE WEEPING
DAUGHTERS OF JERUSALEM." The best
music will be repidered. Strangers confight in. music will be rendered. Strangers cordially invited. Pastor's residence, 308 7th st. n.e. 1t

REV. T. DE WITT TALMAGE, D.D., WILL preach morning and evening at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, 4½ st. bet. C and D. CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CORNER of I and 3d sts., Rev. A. W. Pitzer, D.D., pastor.—Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Y. P. S. C. L., 6:30 p.m. Laura Pitzer Missionary Circle, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m. All welcome. Seats free.

WESTERN PRESBYTERIAN CHORCH,
H st. above 19th.
Rev. Howard Wilbur Ennis, pastor.
11:00 A.M., SACRAMENT OF LORD'S SUPFER.
7:30 P.M., PALM SUNDAY SERVICE. "A King
ard His Subjects." Special music. Choir assisted by Miss Cluss, harpist. NEW YORK AVENUE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Rev. Wallace Radeliffe, D.D., pastor.—Service Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. The communion sacrament will be administered at the morning service. Subject evening service. "Shilbouth." service. Subject evening service, "Shibboleth. Sabbath school, 9:30 u.m.; Christian Endeave prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF THE COVENANT (PRESBYTERIAN). CHURCH OF THE COVENANT (PRESETTERIAN), Conn. ave., N and 18th sts. n.w., Rev. Tennis S. Hamlin, D.D., pastor.—Services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Preaching by the pastor at the morning and evening service. In the evening the eleventh sermon on "Eaquirers of the New Testament; the Philippian Jailor." Sunday school at 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor Society meeting at 7 p.m. Service each afternoon next week from 4:30 to 5:50. No service Thursday evening.

GUNTON TEMPLE MEMORIAL, 14TH AND R sts. n.w. (Rev. Dr. Patch, pastor.)
REV. DR. SUNDERLAND
will administer the communion at 11 a.m., and preach 7:30 p.m. S. S., 9:30 a.m. Y. P. S. C.
E., 6:30 p.m. Prsyer meeting, Thursday, 7:30 p.m.

METROPOLITAN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 4TH and B sts. se., Rev. Geo. N. Luccock, D.D., pastor.—Preaching by the pastor tomorrow at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning subject, "The Sabath as a Gift." Evening subject, "Wonderful Testimonics." Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Y. P. Testimonies." Sabbath school, 9:30 a.m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

CONGREGATIONAL.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, CORNER 16th and G sts. n.w., Rev. S. M. Newman, D.D., pastor.—The pastor will preach at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Evening sermon next upon the Early Church. Music by quartet and chorus, led by Dr. Bischoff, organist. Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m. 1t FIFTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, 8TH AND I sts. n.e., Rev. Adam Reoch, pastor.—Preaching, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the pestor. S.s., 9:30 a.m. C. E. at 6:30 p.m. Seats free. All wel-

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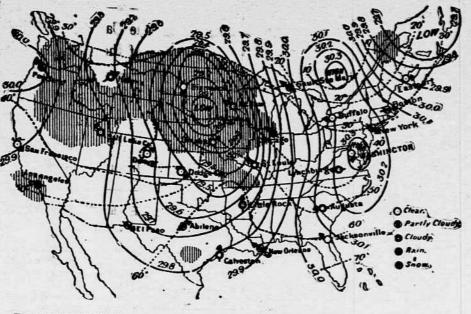
come. Chorus choir.

GRACE REFORMED CHURCH, 15TH ST. N.W. bet. R. I. ave. and P st., Rev. A. Thos. G. Apple, pastor.—Morning service, 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; Heidelberg League, 6:30 p.m.; evening service, 7:30 p.m. Service during holy week, 7:45 p.m.

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THE OFFICIAL WEATHER MAP.



EXPLANATORY NOTE: Observations taken at 8 a.m., 75th meridian time. Solid lines are isobars, or lines of equal air pressure, drawn for each tenth of an inch. Dotted lines are isotherms, or lines of equal temperature, drawn for each ten degrees. Shaded areas are regions where rain or snow has fallen during preceding twelve hours. The words "High" and "Low" show location of

A RAINY SUNDAY.

No Chance to Display Spring Costumes on the Street Tomorrow.

Forecast till 8 p.m. Sunday-For the Distdict of Columbia, Delaware and Maryland, increasing cloudiness tonight; Sunday, rain; warmer; southerly winds. For Virginia and North Carolina, increas-

ing cloudiness tonight; Sunday, rain; warmer; southerly winds. Weather conditions and general forecast .-The pressure is low over the Gulf of St.

Lawrence. An area of high pressure covers the lower lake region and the middle and south Atlantic states. A widely extended storm of considerable energy covers the Mississippi and Missouri valleys and the upper lake region, central in South Dakota. with a barometer reading of 29.06 inches at Huron. It has been attended by heavy preclpitation in the upper Mississippi and the Missouri valleys, and high winds on the southern and eastern sides. The pressure is relatively high on the north Pacific coast. The barometer has risen in New England and on the Atlantic coast; also in the Rocky mountain districts. It has fallen generally throughout the central valleys.

throughout the central valleys.

The temperature is higher in the Atlantic states and in the Mississippi valley. It is colder in the Rocky mountain districts.

The weather will continue fair, with rising temperature tonight, in New England and the Atlantic states, and rain, with warmer imum, 24.

extinguished at 5:28 a.m.

Range of the Thermometer.

The readings of the thermometer at the weather bureau today were as follows: 8 a.m., 32; 2 p.m., 50; maximum, 52; mintimum, 24.

weather, is indicated for Sunday. Rain will extend into the lower lake region and the Ohio and lower Mississippi valleys tonight, with rising temperature, and it will be fair and colder Sunday in the west gulf states. Condition of the Water.

Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls, temperature, 41; condition, 2; receiving reservoir, temperature, 42; condition at north connection, 9; condition at south connection, 6; distributing reservoir, temperature, 42; condition at influent gate house, 4; effluent gate house, 5. Tide Table.

Today-Low tide, 1:02 a.m. and 1:35 p.m.; high tide, 7 a.m. and 7:20 p.m. high tide, 7 a.m. and 7:20 p.m.

Tomorrow—Low tide, 1:49 a.m. and 2:24 p.m.; high tide, 7:50 a.m. and 8:08 p.m. The Sun and Moon.

Sun rises, 5:51; sun sets, 6:20. Full moon at 0:21 a.m. tomorrow. The City Lights.

Gas lamps all lighted by 7:28 p.m.; extinguishing begun at 4.43 a.m. The lighting is begun one hour before the time named. If clear less lighting may be ordered.

Naphtha lamps, all lighted by 7.28 p.m.; extinguishing begun at 4.58. The moon schedule does not apply to naphtha lamps. Public are lamps lighted at 6.58 m and Public arc lamps lighted at 6:58 p.m. and extinguished at 5:28 a.m.

THE WEATHER FORECASTS BY FLAG SIGNALS.



Explanation of the Flags.

The flags are holsted each day upon the issue of the morning weather map and float until dark. They indicate the weather that may be expected during the following thirty-six hours, but more particularly the last twenty-four hours of that period. They are to be read from the top of the staff downward. If more than one kind of weather is predicted for the period from 8 p.m. to 8 p.m. the conditions first lamed in the forecast will be represented by the uppermost flag. When a warning of a "cold wave" is included in the forceast message, the cold-wave flag will be displayed below the proper weather flag. The temperature flag, when placed above numbers I, 2 or 3, indicates warmer weather; when

placed below numbers 1, 2 or 3, indicates colder weather; when not displayed, the indications are that the temperature will remain stationary.

List of Citizens Who Have Been Summoned for Bervice.

Men Who Will Perform an Important Duty as Citizens in the Various Courts.

The following persons have been sum moned for jury service: Grand jury, from the first Tuesday in April to the first Tuesday in October-Wm. G. Roe, 1034 7th street; Harry R. Johnson, 709 C street southwest; Ralph Wormley, 412 Wilson street; James O. Carter, 232 13th street southwest; J. J. Mohler, 2137 Pennsylvania avenue; Joseph E. Crandall, 619 14th street; Jeremiah E. Donovan, 38 Riggs market; Geo. C. Gwynn, 507 41/2 street southwest; Henry S. Dunn, 488 I street; W. H. Warfield, 2115 Pennsylvania avenue; James C. Reeves, 1806 Half street southwest; Walter A. Pinchback, 1422 Ba-con street; William Dorsey, Monroe street, Anacostia; Chas. R. Wright, Howard avenue, Mount Pleasant; Howard Fill, 619 14th street; Thomas Chase, 1222 R street; Ralph L. Galt, 1300 N street; Charles Beaver, Lit-tle Falls road; George Krafft, 18th street and Pennsylvania avenue; Henry C. Jones, 937 P street; Hamilton Nelson, Hillsdale J. Blake Kendall, 618 Pennsylvania avenue, and G. R. Brown, 812 Connecticut avenue. Circuit Court No. 1, during the month of April—James Beyer, Giesboro'; Charles Johnson, 2118 F street; James Roach, 1518 Pennsylvania avenue; L. D. Wine, 1717 Q street; Lewis H. Douglas, 600 F street;

Q street; Lewis H. Dougias, 600 F street; Samuel Saks, 13th and G streets; Charles-Early, 603 14th street; Geo. T. Lee, 2123 Pennsylvania avenue; James T. Wormley, 609 F street; F. W. Brown, 1335 F street; J. H. Beatty, 1939 14th street; H. A. Linger, Harrison street, Anacostia; August Dem-oret, 1712 Pennsylvania avenue; M. H. Poblinger, A. Detteet southeast. Henry Robinson, 4 D street southeast; Henry Klotz, 1706 G street; Wm. F. Knott, Foxhal road; Thomas Fowler, Tenleytown; Newton Hilliard, 1744 Pennsylvania avenue; Philip Hellrigel, 334 M street southwest; R. F. Bradbury, Twining City; Samuel W. Watson, 1150 21st street; Wm. H. Spignul, 1000 7th street; Geo. C. Bergling, 1318 F street; Peter Klein, 616 8th street; Joseph E. Hedson, 425 8th street syntheset. seph E. Hodson, 425 8th street southeast: and U. H. Robey, Harrison street, Ana

Circuit Court No. 2. during the month of April-H. K. Fulton, 218 Pennsylvania avenue; Christian Heurich, 20th street and Sunderland place; Harry Kengla, Tenley-wn; E. L. Turner, 924 G street; Isiac L. Wwn; E. L. Turner, 924 G street; Isiac L. Blout, 710 7th street; John F. Poor, 1515 32d street; Frank C. Horrigan, 2508 P street; Philip R. Wilson, 934 7th street; Edward N. Richards, 14th street and New York avenue: Charles W. Mattingly, Brightwood; T. A. Harding, 1321 G street; Wm. H. Barnes, 444 T street; Benj. T. Thorn, 154 East Capitol street; J. H. Kueling, 949 Virginia avenue southwest; Wm. H. Daniels, 414 10th street southwest; Wm. H. Daniels, 414 10th street southwest; Wm. D. Foos, 716 North Carolina avenue southeast; T. B. Huyck, 1732 I street; Geo. H. Demonet, 1712 Pennsylvania avenue; Chas. H. Steuart, 1318 27th street; Harry F. Dunkhorst, 1005 7th street; Charles Carter, 1035 3d street; J. H. Merriwether, 1201 P. Dunknorst, 1005 Am street; Craftes Carter, 1035 3d street; J. H. Merriwether, 1201 Pennsylvania avenue; Samuel Dean, 230 12th street southeast; Herman Kalert, 411 11th street southeast; E. S. Alvord, 2509 Pennsylvania avenue, and George Knott, Conduit road

Criminal Court No. 2, during the month of April-Edward Denick, 818 19th street; Chris. Groener, 1743 Pentisylvania avenue; Isaac A. Elker, 2018 I street; James W. McKee, 1235-Massachusetts avenue; Wil-liam Wanstall, 819 20th street; E. D. Deliam Wanstall, 819 20th street; E. D. De-mell, 340 8th street southeast; J. T. Simp-son, Polk street, Anacostia; James G. Liv-ingston, 928 D street southwest; I. N. Run-yan, 13th and C streets; Peter Imrie, 184 6th street southwest; James E. Schuyler, 5th and Morrison streets; S. C. Hanson, 1100 Connecticut avenue; Chas. A. Muddi-man, 614 12th street; Louis B. Graves, 1325 14th street; Louis B. Graves, 1325 14th street; John Cassells. 1907 F street. Harry T. Clark, 415 6th street southwest Wm. H. Burch, 805 H street northeast: J Wm. H. Burch, 805 H street northeast; J. D. Donnelly, 828 14th street; Joseph A. Settle, 904 12th street; George Thomas, Brightwood; Geo. A. Sheehan, 15th and B streets; Benj. P. Davis, Mt. Pleasant; Chas. J. Anderson, 20th street and Pennsylvania avenue; S. J. Fishel, 1920 Pennsylvania avenue; T. E. Cowling, 7th street, and F. A. Killian, 504 13th street.

DRAWN FOR JURY DUTY man Koss, 819 H street northeast; P. H. Umbles, 1626 5th street; John S. Skidmore, Anacostia; Chas. W. Spates, 1528 8th street; H. W. Eno, Jackson street, Anacostia; Joseph E. Clifford, 608 B street costa; Joseph E. Clifford, 608 B street northeast; Frank J. Tibbetts, 1027 Con-recticut avenue; J. Stuart Ball, 22d and M streets; J. W. Tolson, Mcnroe street, Anacostia; Joseph F. Bradley, 1137 New Hampshire avenue; James Stewart, 814 3d street southeast; Wm. M. George, 619 B street northeast; Lincoln A. Smith, 1031 Massachusetts, avenue; George Meas Massachusetts avenue; George Haas, jr., 1206 Pennsylvania avenue; Wm. D. Campbell, 426 11th street southeast; Otho F. Beall, 215 A street southeast; W. B. Davis, 1317 14th street; Edward Neumeyer, 1823 G street; Thos. R. Echols, 1503 Pierce place; J. B. Redd, Harrison street, Anacostia: Charles Kontropolation. place; J. B. Redd, Harrison street, Anacostia; Charles Kaufman, 1015 8th street; W. F. Roberts, 1421 G street; John H. Ruppert, 23 Riggs market; Thomas Gray, Harrison street, Anacostia, and Wm. H. Johnson, 2017 L street.

son, 2017 L street.

Police Court, during months of April, May end June—Daniel E. Kieps, 412 R street; William Marbury, 3307 U street; Msson C. Grasty, 1510 7th street; Chas. S. Nelson, 1069 32d street; Wm. B. Hartley, 678 North Carolina avenue southeast; Wm. F. Eaton, 722 L street southeast; Solomon Peyser, 1502 7th street; Herry Wagner, 1753 Pennsylvania avenue; Jules A. Demonet, 1712 Pennsylvania avenue; J. W. Lauder, 2080 35th street; A. G. Heaton, 1618 17th street; Chas. L. Small, 650 E street; southeast; D. D. Thompson, 1335 F street; Joseph P. B. Barber, 326 11th street southeast; B. F. Grant, 1238 25th street; Victor Beyer, Glesboro',; Frank T. Rawlings, 1505 Pennsylvania avenue; Seaton Perry, 1713 Rhode Island avenue; Enoch Beaird, 1902 N street; Robert Klotz, 2213 H street; Walter. N street; Robert Klotz, 2213 H street; Wal-N street; Robert Klotz, 2213 H street; Walter Hyson, 1835 R street; Frederick W. Kahlert, 1742 6th street; Henry P. Yates, 1920 12th street; Frederick C. Gieseking, 420 T street; McKenzie Scott, 438 2d street southwest, and James B. Lambie, 714 2d street

TINY OXEN.

Dwarf Curiosities of Ceylon and Their Fabled Origin. From Tid Bits.

One of the greatest curiosities among the domesticated animals of Ceylon is. a breed of cattle known to the zoologists as the "sacred running oxen." They are the dwarfs of the whole ox family, the largest specimens of the species never exceeding thirty inches in height. One sent to the Marquis of Canterbury in the year 1891, which is still living and is believed to be somewhere near ten years of age, is only twenty-two irches high, and weighs but 109½ pounds.

In Ceylon they are used for quick trips

across country with express matter and other light loads, and it is said that four of them can pull a driver of a two-wheeled cart and a 200-pound load of miscellaneous matter sixty to seventy miles a day.

They keep up a constant swinging trot or run, and have been known to travel 100 miles in a day and night without either food or water. No one knows anything concerning the origin of this peculiar breed of minia-ture cattle. They have been known on the Island of Ceylon and in other Buddhistic

Island of Ceylon and in other Buddhistic countries for more than a thousand years. One story told to account for their origin is to the effect that they were originally cattle of the ordinary height and bulk; that a Buddhistic priest was once imprisoned in a stone building, one-half of which was used as a cattle stable. During the night he managed to disloader one of the stable. he managed to dislodge one of the stones he managed to dislodge one of the stones in his prison walls. The stone in question was exactly two and a half feet square. It was almost daylight when this apostle of Buddha felt the air rush through the opening he had made and realized that he was all but free, He knew that he would be unable to get out of the enemy's country on foot so he prayed that he wight he try on foot, so he prayed that he might be provided with a beast of burden that would safely carry him to the homes of the fol-lowers of Buddha. No sconer had he done this than one of the large oxen which had been quietly feed-

ing in a stall at his side walked leisurely to the thirty-inch square opening and miraculously passed through it. The priest followed and mounted the now sacredly dwarfed beast, and was soon safe in his own country.
Since that time, so the story goes, there Since that time, so the story goes, there has been a breed of "sacred running oxen" in Ceylon, which never grow too tall to pass through an opening the size of that made in the prison wall by Buddha's representative on the night when he miraculously escaped on the back of the first famous dwarfed ox.

J. Anderson, 20th street and Pennsylvania avenue; S. J. Fishel, 1920 Pennsylvania avenue; T. E. Cowling, 7th street, and F. A. Killian, 504 13th street.

Criminal Court No. 2, during month of April—Wm. B. Syphax, 1641 P street; Her-

--- FINANCIAL. STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TEUTONIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of Philadelphia, December 81, 1895.

\$200,000 00 Cash in bank and in office..... \$12,871 51 Bonds and mortgages (first lien on real Bolinas and mortgages (first lieu on real estate). 40,900 00
Rail rad and other bonds (market value) 112,775 00
Loans on collateral 2,000 00
Received interest 539 07
Accrued interest 540 85 its accrued and all other assets..... Total assets......\$268,979 93
 Cash capital
 \$200,000 00

 Reinsurance reserve
 38,441 62

 Unsettled losses
 2,554 43

 Adl other liabilities
 563 10

 Net surplus
 27,420 78
 Total liabilities, including net surplus. \$268,979 93
Statement of dividends and expenses for six months ending December 31, 1895;
Dividends. \$4,009 00
Current expenses, including taxes and commission. \$7,339 86 E. FRANSEU,
President Teutonia Fire Ins. Co. of Philadelphia,
THOS. CHAMBERLIN, Secretary.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this twentyfourth day of March, 1896.
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A. J. Schafhirt, Vice President. Geo. W. Casilear, 24 Vice President. John Joy Edron, Secretary, mh12-t,th,s,tf Legislative Appropriation Bill Passed The Senate yesterday afternoon passed

the legislative appropriation bill, and adjourned until Monday. After an acrimonious débate lasting several hours Mr. Hill's motion to strike out the amendment pro viding for a meeting in May of the legislature of the proposed new state of New Mexico was carried. Senator Cullom moved to table this motion, and this was lost, 21 to 29. On this motion all of the affirmative votes were cast by republicans, while Senvotes were cast by republicans, while Senators Dubois, Welcott and Frye, republicans, and Allen and Peffer, populists, joined with the democrats in voting "nay." Then Mr. Hill's motion was carried without a division. Senator Wolcott, during the discussion on this matter, moved to adjourn over to Menday, and this was carried, 33 to 12. The Senate adjourned at 4:50 o'clock, with the understanding that Mr. Berry's bill relating to the compromise between the United States and Arkansas should be made the order of business for Monday.

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